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ABSTRACT OF THE INVENTION

5 A method and system for capturing and transcribing dictated information
and for delivering the transcribed information to an end user. A voice file
containing a digital recording of the dictated information is received via the
Internet from a remote device. The voice file is forwarded via the Internet to a
remote transcription service provider. The transcribed information is received
10 from the transcription service provider and in turn delivered to, for example, a
facsimile machine, a text server and/or printer, a computer system or Web
browser. The need for expensive dictation equipment is reduced or eliminated.
In addition, the system can be readily scaled up to accommodate more users
without a commensurate increase in costs.